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Councillor Rev. Quintin Peppiatt
Cabinet Member for Children and Young People

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IN BRIEF //

Meeting on health

NHS Newham Clinical Commissioning Group is inviting residents to its annual general meeting on Tuesday 8 September from 6.30pm at the Podium in Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park, Stratford.

The meeting will discuss future health centres in Newham and working with young people with diabetes. The CCG's annual report and accounts for 2014/15 will be presented. There are also displays by local health services.

People who are interested in attending should email **enquiries@newhamccg.nhs.uk** or call **020 3688 2342**.

Praise for college

The Newham Collegiate Sixth Form Centre, part of Newham Council's East Ham Civic Campus, has been shortlisted in the Architects' Journal Retrofit Awards 2015.

The centre has been shortlisted in the heritage/listed buildings category and the schools category.

Criteria for both categories includes setting new standards for the retrofitting of historical buildings and acting as a model for future similar projects. Judges look for solutions that are a better alternative to demolition and rebuilding.

Stadium wrap proposed

A planning application has been submitted by the E20 Stadium Partnership for a proposed 15m high digital LED wrap around the north, east and south sides of the former Olympic Stadium that would be capable of displaying moving, colour content.

For further information and for details of public consultation as part of the planning application process email **planningenquiries@londonlegacy.co.uk**

Market fun is icing on cake

A tasty treat was the icing on the cake in Queens Market, Upton Park, where a fun-filled day of sport and activities took place.

A giant cake celebrated the first anniversary of the Market Games programme, organised by residents working with Newham Council's Green Street Community Neighbourhood team.

Fun and cake at the Market Games

The programme sees young people enjoy cycling, football, wheelchair basketball, table tennis, indoor rowing and non-contact boxing on certain days when the market is not operating.

Councillor Hanif Abdulmuhit, lead member for Green Street Community Neighbourhood, and Councillors Joy Laguda, Tahmina Rahman and Charity Fiberesima joined the fun with West Ham United's mascot Bubbles the Bear. The event was supported by activity provider activeNewham, the Metropolitan Police and Police Cadets, and the Youth Providers Partnership.

Councillor Abdulmuhit said: "The Market Games days have been great successes and we plan to hold more." To see what's happening where you live, download the Community Neighbourhoods app at **www.newham.gov.uk/neighbourhoodevents**

Farewell to popular head teacher

Mayor of Newham Sir Robin Wales helped pupils at Vicarage Primary School say a fond farewell to popular head teacher Yvonne Ward who has retired after a 35-year teaching career.

The Mayor with Yvonne and Cllr Quintin Peppiatt

Yvonne has spent the past ten years in charge at Vicarage School, which was declared outstanding by Government inspectors in 2014.

Under her leadership the school has also achieved Green Eco flag status, is a Centre of Excellence for inclusion, and has won national awards for PE, art, singing and basic skills. Yvonne also supervised a major refurbishment programme and has hosted numerous community events involving hundreds of people.

The Mayor attended a farewell garden party at the school. He said: "Yvonne's and the school's motto is Be The Best You Can Be. She definitely proved that in her years at Vicarage School and across her distinguished career. We wish her continued success and thank her for all she has achieved."

News

Soldier's valour remembered

(left to right) Cllr Laguda, Stan Kaye, Armed Forces Rabbi Reuben Livingstone, Kim Bromley-Derry and John Barber

Chair of Newham Council Joy Laguda and chief executive Kim Bromley-Derry laid poppy wreaths to mark the consecration of a new headstone at the grave of World War 1 veteran Private Solomon Bird.

Private Bird, from the Royal Fusiliers, died on 9 June 1917 at the age of 19 from a burst appendix, having just returned from fighting in Europe. Military researcher Stan Kaye stumbled across his grave in Plashet Jewish Cemetery in Manor Park.

The headstone was put in place late last year by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission. Mr Kaye has since traced Mr Bird's relatives and arranged for the stone to be consecrated.

The memorial ceremony was also attended by The Queen's representative in Newham Deputy Lieutenant John Barber, members of the Association of Jewish Ex-Servicemen and Women and the Royal British Legion. Councillor Laguda said: "The stone is a lasting memory to the valour of Private Bird. It is right we remember him."

Success for history buffs

Syed, Cllr Clark, Adele, Jim and Miriam

Four lucky residents have received prizes for knowing all about the history of Newham and the places of interest in it.

The four were among winners of the Newham Past and Present competition, which took place at the Mayor's Newham Show weekend in July. Residents were asked to identify locations across the borough's eight Community Neighbourhood areas from photographs taken over the past 50 years.

Syed Ilyas Mizan, Miriam Jelinkova, Jim McLucas and Adele Flore received their prizes of £50 Westfield shopping vouchers from Councillor Ken Clark, Cabinet member for Building Communities and Public Affairs, Regeneration and Planning, at East Ham Library.

Councillor Clark said: "Newham has had much to celebrate over the past 50 years and residents who entered the heritage competition showed how they really know our borough, the people, and the places in it."

Negligent landlord made to pay

Damage to the floor

A landlord who rented out a property that she had failed to obtain a licence for has been made to return more than £10,000 to Newham Council.

Thames Magistrates' Court made a Rent Repayment Order against Afia Ajubi Anokye in the sum of £10,491 after she accepted Housing Benefit for tenants at her unlicensed property.

The court heard that in 2012 a tenant at the three-bedroom maisonette in Fowler Road, Forest Gate complained about the state of the property. Officers found it was damp and a large hole in the kitchen floor. The landlord failed to carry out repairs so the council had to spend £4,000 to protect the tenant and her three children.

Councillor Andrew Baikie, mayoral advisor for housing, said: "Landlords like this try to take every penny they can and leave their tenants in poor housing. Newham Council will not stand for this kind of negligence. That's why we took her to court and now she must pay."

Borough's results show marked improvement

Thousands of young people have been tearing open envelopes containing their GCSE, AS level and A level results. I paid a visit to Royal Docks Community School and Newham Collegiate Sixth Form Centre to meet their students as they received their results.

This year's GCSE results are up from last year to 59 percent of pupils obtaining five GCSEs A*- C including English and maths and our AS and A level results are now beating the England average. These results could not be achieved without the support of our excellent teaching staff and hard work of our students.

What impressed me most about both the collegiate and the school was the determination of the young people to succeed and the commitment of the head teachers and staff, giving them every encouragement to develop a love of learning and to pursue academic excellence.

At Royal Docks I met pupils whose results had enabled them to access scholarships to prestigious colleges and those heading to Newham Collegiate. All had chosen their learning institutions on the basis it would help them further their ambitions and was the best choice for them.

The collegiate was founded by the council and a group of the borough's secondary schools: Cumberland, Kingsford, Lister, Little Ilford, Plashet, Rokeby, Royal Docks, Sarah Bonnell and Stratford School Academy. We set it up and invested in it as we all believe our young people deserve a high quality place of learning that will equip them to attend the best universities in this country or abroad.

It opened its doors last September and its first set of AS level results this year have been truly outstanding. Sixty-five per cent of their pupils achieved A-B grades and 85 per cent achieved A-C grades

Based on these results the collegiate would be among the highest achieving A level institutions in the country when it posts its full set of results next year.

Without a doubt, the high level of performance we have seen this year bodes well for the future of the borough and its young people. I hope like me you will be celebrating their outstanding achievements.

At Newham Collegiate Sixth Form Centre

Mayor's view

Thousands enjoy starry, starry nights

Under the Stars, our four night musical extravaganza, is always one of the highlights of the summer and this year did not disappoint. East Ham's Central Park attracted record-breaking crowds with more than 60,000 people attending, eager to enjoy world class musical entertainment from a diverse range of artists. I am proud to be able to offer this incredible event free to our residents. Over the four days, some of the many highlights included summertime sounds from Maxi Priest, Bhangra beats from Sukshinder Shinda, 70s grooves from Hot Chocolate and classical performances from the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra.

It was great to meet so many residents who were clearly enjoying themselves. This is what is so wonderful about this event - I saw youngsters swaying to Tchaikovsky, older people dancing along to Aswad and so many families taking the time to enjoy each other's company by having a picnic and soaking up the incredible atmosphere. On Sunday evening, seeing thousands of people from different backgrounds waving flags enthusiastically to Rule Britannia really demonstrates the sense of community we've built here in Newham.

This is the reason we invest in our events programme. In a borough like Newham, it is essential that we look at the different ways we can build a strong community and encourage our residents to be proud of where they live. This is why we've held street parties to celebrate Newham's 50th anniversary in each of our Community Neighbourhoods. We've had a fantastic response to these, with hundreds of residents taking part, meeting their neighbours and finding out more about how they can get involved in their local area.

We want to continue to invest in events such as this, as they have a positive impact on the community. As part of our Budget Challenge Consultation, we want to know what you think about events such as Under the Stars and other services. I think it is vital to invest in the things that residents tell us are important, so your views are essential.

You can fill out the consultation online at **www.newham.gov.uk/budgetchallenge**

Newham's Budget Challenge

With residents on Thursday night

With Janet Kay and Cllr Ken Clark

Enjoying Saturday's show

with Sir Robin Wales

What a result!

Students across Newham have been jumping for joy after receiving their A level, AS level and GCSE results over the past couple of weeks.

The borough's GCSE results have improved dramatically with a four percentage point increase from 55 to 59 per cent.

Top performers included Brampton Manor Academy with 74 per cent of students receiving A*- C grades and Forest Gate Community School with 71 per cent of its pupils achieving the gold standard pass rate.

More than 900 pupils sat A level exams in the borough and the number of high achievers has increased with nearly half (47 per cent) obtaining A*- B grades, up four percentage points on last year, and more than 22 per cent of students achieving A*- A grades compared to 18 per cent in 2014.

This record level of attainment has pushed the borough's average pass rate from 98 per cent to 98.7 per cent this year – higher than the England average pass rate of 98.1 per cent.

Almost 1,100 Year 12 students sat AS

exams with phenomenal results, for the first time ever Newham students beat the England average at A-B grades; A-C grades and the overall pass rate at A-E grades.

Some of the best performing higher education institutions included Brampton Manor Academy, London Academy of Excellence and Newham Collegiate Sixth Form Centre (NCS). Their students are now achieving higher grades than students at some of the leading state schools in the country.

Newham Collegiate Sixth Form Centre achieved outstanding AS level results in its first year with 65 per cent of its sixth formers obtaining A-B grades and 85 per cent obtaining A-C grades.

Mayor Sir Robin Wales praised the results, and said: “Our students should be rightly proud of these amazing results. We have seen increases in the number of pupils obtaining A* and A grades and these results show that Newham is a great place for education and our schools and colleges are supporting our young people to reach their full potential.”

“I think I have done well but would have liked more A*. I achieved five A*, six As and one B and have been offered a scholarship to Christ’s Hospital, which is an independent boarding school in West Sussex. I hope to be taking A levels in Maths, Further Maths, Physics, Economics and Spanish. I really want to become a pilot and have done since I was about three years old. Alternatively I might look at a career in banking.”
Harsimran Bahra, 16, from Royal Docks School

“I’m really happy I decided go to Newham Collegiate because it is a new college. I received my dream grades: four A’s in Maths, Further Maths, English and Economics. There are a lot of amazing opportunities here and I had the chance to complete a work experience at KPMG. In the future I would like to do a degree in Accounting and Finance at Birmingham University.”
Daniella Nagy, 17, from Newham Collegiate Sixth Form Centre

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ELECTIONS AHEAD
YOUNG MAYOR 2015

The Young Mayor programme offers young people a voice and an opportunity to represent their views to decision-makers in Newham. Projects based on the Young Mayor's election manifesto are developed by the Young Mayor and Youth Council and then delivered across the borough as initiatives that aim to improve the lives of young people in Newham.

This year, projects have included Newham's Young Apprentice, a Youth Opportunity Fund to help support civic and community engagement projects led by young people and a Health Matters programme, which involved the Young Mayor and Youth Council working with health care professionals to better tailor health services to young people in the borough.

If you think you have what it takes to lead this year's Youth Council to create positive changes in Newham then you should enter the race to be Newham's next Young Mayor. The elections for this year's successful candidate are fast approaching and nominations open on Friday 4 September. To apply you must be aged between 14 and 18 and live in Newham.

Yaseen Bux, 16, is the current Young Mayor, and a student at Langdon Academy in East Ham. He said: "It has been an honour to serve as Newham's Young Mayor. It is a great opportunity to act as the voice for young people, and a way to make a real difference to our community."

If you'd like to be involved in the Young Mayor scheme but don't want to stand for the election you can nominate yourself to become a youth councillor. Visit **www.newham.gov.uk/youngmayor**

Applications are now open.

Young Mayor timetable
Nominations open:
Friday 4 September
Nominations close:
Monday 21 September
Young Mayor Election:
Wednesday 21 October

Compulsory Young Mayor candidate training dates
Thursday 24 September
Wednesday 30 September
Saturday 3 October

Compulsory Youth Council Member training dates
Saturday 31 October
Sunday 1 November

To find out more visit **www.newham.gov.uk/youngmayor** or follow **@ym_newham** on Twitter

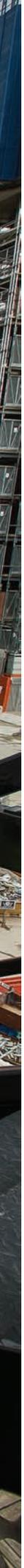
Young Mayor Yaseen Bux and deputy Ellie Plenty

Participants in Newham's Young Apprentice

With a young apprentice

With Newham Chief Executive Kim Bromley-Derry (left), Vidas Tinteris of the Sea Cadets and Mayor Sir Robin Wales (right)

The Prater employees with representatives from Lend Lease and Prater



Support that really works

Newham Council's employment service, Workplace, was developed to make sure people benefit from the regeneration that is happening all around our borough. Since launching in 2007, it has supported more than 25,000 Newham residents into employment, and helped almost 1,000 businesses fill their vacancies.

Based in Stratford, Workplace is a one stop shop for residents to receive advice about their employment options and where employers across London can place their vacancies to recruit quality staff. In addition to employment support, Workplace also offers support ranging from Housing Benefit and debt advice, supported employment (a team that supports candidates who may have a physical or learning disability) and a specialised young persons team.

> "We have invested millions into Workplace and the number of people who have subsequently gained employment is a great achievement."

Of those that have been helped into work, more than 2,500 residents have found jobs in the construction industry with a range of employers, including working on CrossRail, on the transformation of the former Olympic Stadium and on the development of Canning Town.

Prater are a construction company who know Stratford well, having completed a range of projects in Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park, including the roof on the velodrome in Lee Valley VeloPark and the main entrance to the Stadium. They have recently been contracted by developer Lend Lease to work on The International Quarter in Stratford, a major new business and residential development. As part of this project, Prater have taken on 14 members of staff through Workplace, ranging from site and office assistants to labourers and experienced technical roles.

Four of the candidates selected by Prater completed a ten-week course before starting their employment, learning their trade at the Building Crafts College in Stratford, giving them the necessary skills to start work. Two other new employees, Alfie Higgins and Kaser Khan, had previous labouring experience, and have been recruited into positions where they can be trained into supervisory positions in the future. Alfie is settling into his new role, and said: "You're never doing the same thing. Each day is different, which keeps you interested and engaged. And it's good to work with these people – it's a good team."

Alistair Hill, Project Director for Prater, praised the work ethic of the new recruits, and said: "The Workplace candidates have developed a great bond as they are all in the same boat having joined us through the same scheme. They all get on well and have a great work ethic, which is critical on a project such as TIQ. When teams respect each other, they look out for each other and are more aware of each other's health and safety. We have another year on this project and I hope we at Prater can transfer the teams on to future sites."

In addition to helping residents into employment Workplace also allocate mentors who can offer support with CVs, application forms and personal development. Gary Thomas, who has joined Prater as a labourer, praised the support he had received from Workplace, and said: "They are instrumental in not only getting you into work, but helping you deal with some of the challenges you may face. I was having a couple of personal issues and didn't want to take time off work. I contacted someone at Workplace who contacted people on my behalf and sorted out a lot of issues I was having. I don't think other organisations would go that far to try and help you solve your problems."

Mayor Sir Robin Wales congratulated the Prater recruits, and paid tribute to Workplace, saying: "The reason we set up Workplace in 2007 was that residents told us they were concerned by the lack of jobs. Since then, we have invested millions into Workplace and the number of people who have subsequently gained employment is a great achievement."

For more information about registering with Workplace, visit www.newham.gov.uk/workplace or call 020 3373 1101

LONG TO REIGN OVER US!

A few months before the Olympic Games came to Newham in 2012, all of Britain was celebrating Queen Elizabeth II's Diamond Jubilee, marking 60 years since she came to the throne. This year marks another historic achievement for The Queen, as she becomes the longest-reigning monarch in British history.

On Wednesday 9 September the Queen will surpass the reign of Queen Victoria, who reigned for 63 years and 216 days. Elizabeth II became Queen after the death of her father, King George VI, on 6 February 1952. However, her official coronation was not held for 18 months, and she was eventually crowned by the Archbishop of Canterbury on 2 June 1953 in a formal ceremony at Westminster Abbey. The coronation was watched by millions in the UK and abroad on television, and people celebrated with street parties all over the country.

The Queen is the most widely-travelled head of state in the world, having visited 116 countries since 1952. She has given regular audience to a dozen prime ministers, sat for 129 portraits and attended 35 Royal Variety performances. During her reign, she has also made countless visits to Newham, and to the county boroughs of East Ham and West Ham which formed our borough in 1965. She opened the then Newham General Hospital in Plaistow in 1983, came in 1987 to open London City Airport and opened the University of East London's Business School and Knowledge Dock Centre in 2007. She also celebrated the airport's 25th birthday in 2012.

In 2002, as part of her Golden Jubilee celebrations, She and her husband, Prince Philip the Duke of Edinburgh, visited Green Street to open the first Green Street Festival. The couple then opened West Ham United's new 15,000-seat Dr Marten's West Stand (now know as the Betway Stand). Famously, Her Majesty also played an instrumental role in Newham's hosting of the 2012 Olympics and Paralympics, declaring both officially open in their respective opening ceremonies (as well as her memorable cameo with James Bond and a helicopter!)

The Queen on her visit to Green Street in 2002, as part of her Golden Jubilee celebrations touring East London

Mayor of Newham, Sir Robin Wales, remembers her visit to London City Airport in 2012. He said: "While I have had the privilege of meeting the Queen on a number of occasions, this was the second time I had welcomed her to Newham in as many days. The previous day she had attended the opening ceremony of the 2012 Olympic Games. I told her how impressed I was by her epic feat of jumping out of a helicopter to arrive at the Stadium. She was amused by that."

With Deputy Mayor Christine Bowden in 2009 at the Britvic factory, Beckton.

A street party celebrating the coronation on Mortham Street, Stratford

At London City Airport's 25th birthday in 2012

Visiting Holden Point sheltered housing scheme Stratford in 2005

The Queen attends the opening of East Ham Nature Reserve in 1983, with Mayor Herbert Philpott and Councillor John Haggerty

Meeting with VIPs and Mayor of Newham Constance Bock in 1977

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NEWHAM WELCOMES THE CUP

Coveted by the world's best players and seen by millions of fans, the Webb Ellis Cup is one of Rugby's most instantly recognisable icons. On 10 June it began a 100-day tour of the UK and Ireland as part of the build-up to Rugby World Cup 2015. On 6 and 7 September it visits Newham.

The Webb Ellis Cup was made by jewellers Garrard of London in 1906. It is silver, gilded in gold, 38 centimetres tall with two cast scroll handles.

It is named after William Webb Ellis, credited as the creator of Rugby. It was not selected for use as the Rugby World Cup trophy until 1987. Four countries have lifted it since its inception, New Zealand, Australia, South Africa and England.

On 6 September – Day 88 of the Tour – it will arrive in Newham via the Emirates Air Line. There will be a ceremony at 10.30am at Royal Victoria Dock with England Rugby's official anthem singer Laura Wright, who appeared at Newham's Under The Stars earlier this month.

From there, the Cup moves to East London Rugby Club in Memorial Park, West Ham, who are hosting a free community event from 12pm with the chance for people to snap a picture between 2pm and 6pm.

As well as a chance to catch a glimpse of Rugby's top prize, the event offers a packed programme including a veterans' tournament, ladies matches and a children's tournament. There will be a bar and barbecue and entertainment performed by ska, reggae and two tone band Skamite.

Alex Pearmain, Newham's Young Rugby Ambassador, said: "We hope a chance to see this famous trophy will inspire everyone to come and give Rugby a try."

On 7 September the Trophy will be greeted by local schoolchildren at West Ham United's Learning Zone, visit the Army Reserve Centre in West Ham, and the former Olympic Stadium where five matches are taking place in Rugby World Cup 2015.

Above: England Rugby's official anthem singer, Laura Wright
Right: Newham's Young Rugby Ambassador, Alex Pearmain

A record 60,000 people enjoyed Newham's annual four nights of free concerts in East Ham's Central Park. Thursday saw music-lovers boogie down to some of the best of reggae with performances from Maxi Priest and Aswad, as well as the queen of lovers' rock Janet Kay. Friday's show had Asian influences, with headliners Sukshinder Shinda and Jassi Sidhu. The smooth sounds of Hot Chocolate, Clem Curtis and The Foundations and Soul Legends kept residents dancing on Saturday, before the grand finale of the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra featuring Laura Wright and John Pierce took to the stage on Sunday. A spectacular fireworks finale rounded off a star-studded set of concerts, and Newham's free programme of summer events. For video highlights of Under the Stars visit **www.newham.gov.uk/utsfilm**

Under the Stars in pictures

1 Janet Kay performs on Thursday night. **2** Welsh tenor John Pierce and England Rugby's national anthem singer Laura Wright. **3** Crowds enjoy the first night's music on Thursday. **4** Mayor Sir Robin Wales with Newham's Every Child a Musician Star Orchestra. **5** Rule Britannia! The Royal Philharmonic Orchestra get flags waving on Sunday. **6** Getting into the swing of it! **7** Eternal Taal, an all-female Bhanga drumming group, entertained the crowds on Friday.

RPO OFFER

If you enjoyed the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra at Under The Stars, you can take advantage of an exclusive discount at their upcoming concerts. Newham residents can purchase tickets in the Circle at the Royal Albert Hall at a special rate of £10.

The Music of Bond – Friday 9 October (tickets usually £25)
Timeless hits from the iconic films about everyone's favourite Secret Service agent, with music from Goldfinger, Casino Royale, From Russia With Love, Diamonds Are Forever, You Only Live Twice and Live and Let Die.

The Golden Age of Hollywood – Wednesday 4 November (tickets usually £25)
Enjoy classic themes from timeless films including Gone With the Wind, Ben-Hur, Sunset Boulevard, Robin Hood, Psycho, Taxi Driver and North by Northwest.

Berlioz's Grande Messe des Morts – Monday 30 November (tickets usually £14.02)
The RPO are joined by the Goldsmiths Choral Union and Brighton Festival Chorus for this performance of an emotionally stirring requiem, commemorating soldiers from the French Revolution.

Under the Stars in pictures

1 This year's Under The Stars attracted a record number of visitors… **2** …with crowds enjoying four nights of music. **3** Crowds gather for a selfie with the Mayor. **4** Sunday's firework finale was a spectacular sight. **5** Soul Legends performed some of the biggest soul and Motown hits. **6** Kids were allowed to stay up past their bed-times… **7** …and a few people really pulled out all the stops! **8** Aswad's bass player enjoys the show. **9** It will be a tall order to top this next year!

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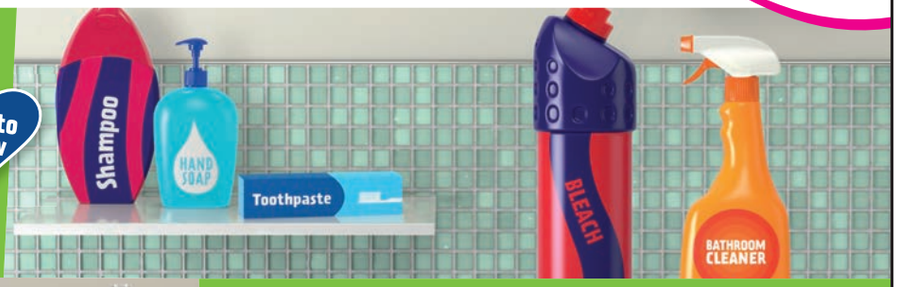
from your BATHROOM

good to know

Top tip:

Remember to **remove** and put **trigger spray** and **pump dispenser tops** in your rubbish bin.



from your KITCHEN

good to know

Top tip:

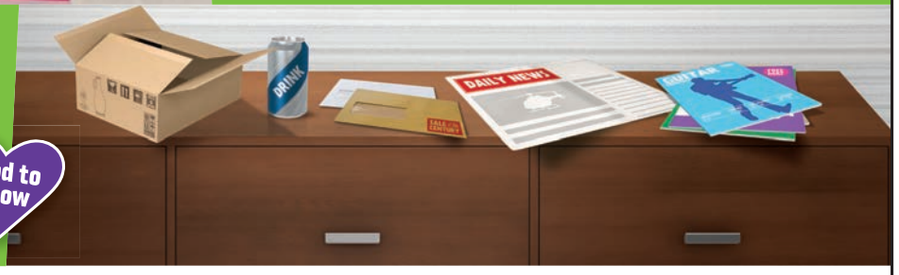
Squash cans and **bottles** and **flatten boxes** to save space in your recycling.

from your LOUNGE OR BEDROOM

good to know

Top tip:

Recycle **all** the **newspapers** and **envelopes** from your living room.



If you are unsure about any items or want to check a collection day visit **www.newham.gov.uk/recycling**

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Newham Council's shared equity scheme

If you would like to own your own home in Newham but can't afford a large deposit or the cost of buying on the open market, NewShare could help you.

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For more information and advice on buying a home through NewShare visit www.newham.gov.uk/NewShare

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Animal welfare officers at work

Follow our lead

From 6 April next year, it will be a legal requirement that all dogs are microchipped and registered to an approved database by the time they are eight weeks old. Any owner who does not comply could be fined up to £500.

To help residents make sure their dog is microchipped, Newham's Animal Welfare Team are holding a number of free microchipping events around the borough during September and October. You don't need to book, just turn up with your dog. Priority will be given to council tenants, but any resident who attends can use the service, or will be given an alternative appointment. You are still required to obtain permission from the council to keep your dog.

Microchipping is a simple and painless procedure that involves putting a special chip, about the size of a grain of rice, into your dog's neck. It means that if your dog is lost or stolen, the microchip can help reunite you more quickly. Microchipping protects the welfare of dogs and promotes responsible dog ownership.

If you are not sure if your dog is microchipped, or if you are registered correctly as the owner, bring your dog along so we can scan it and advise you what you need to do to comply with the new law. It is the dog owner's responsibility to notify their database of changes in address and dog ownership. Animal Welfare Officers will be also be able to provide advice on canine health and neutering – for some bull breed dogs this service is free.

More than 20 dogs were microchipped at two events in July.

For more information, visit **www.newham.gov.uk/dogmicrochip,** email **animal.welfare@newham.gov.uk** or call **020 8586 9739.**

Free microchipping, 11am-2pm at:

10 September – James Riley Point, Carpenters Road, E15

11 September – Forest Lane Park, Cormorant Close, E7

14 September – Gooseley's Playing Fields, St Albans Avenue, E6

08 October – Royal Victoria Gardens, Woolwich Manor Way, E16

12 October – Keir Hardie Park, Appleby Rd, E16

22 October – Major Road Open Space, Major Road, E15

23 October – Plashet Park, Rutland Road, E6

Maria Corpuz with her sons Alvin (left) and Steven (right)

Coming back to Canning Town

The regeneration of Custom House and Canning Town is a long-term, £3.7 billion project, transforming the area physically, socially and economically. Up to 10,000 new and refurbished homes will be provided, alongside vibrant town centres, more green spaces and better local connections. Although the regeneration still has many years to run, hundreds of homes have already been built. And returning residents move into new homes in Canning Town, we speak to them about their experiences.

Hallsville Quarter, directly opposite Canning Town Station will deliver around 1,200 new homes, in addition to a new town centre with retail, leisure and community uses. The first phase of Hallsville Quarter, is now complete, providing 179 new homes and a new Morrisons supermarket due to open soon. The council has worked with Bouygues Development and One Housing Group to deliver 51 affordable homes on the site and have welcomed back some former residents.

Maria Corpuz, 46, previously lived in a two-bedroom flat with her husband and two sons on the site that the Hallsville Quarter now occupies. Their new three-bedroom property has been specially adapted to meet Maria's health needs, and boasts a roof garden with spectacular views of London. She said: "We were told in 2007 that we would have to move, and we could put our names down to come back here. I wanted to return because I love Canning Town, and I'm very glad I did. We are very grateful for our new home – the area is

Rabiatou Njie

nice, everything is new, and we have a garden here too."

Her son Alvin, 22, added: "There's been a big improvement in the area, compared to how it was before. There's a lot less anti-social behaviour. I go to the gym nearby and our church is local, so everything is within reach."

Rabiatou Njie also lives in a three-bedroom duplex in the Quarter. She has moved back to Canning Town with her three children and says she is happy about how the move was handled. She said: "To begin with I didn't really want to move, but the council made it work for me. We had a removal company come to pack our things, connect up the cooker etc. and it was all fine."

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The 36-year-old is also pleased with the changes in Canning Town adding: "I've been living in this area since 1992, and I've seen a lot of changes. There used to be a lot of crime in this area, but now it's quieter and more family-friendly. I feel safe that my kids can play out, and I don't have to worry about anything happening to them. The needs of children have been considered, there's a play area here that they love. And I feel secure myself – I've got nothing to worry about. The house is big and we have space. I couldn't ask for more, it's really good and the neighbours are wonderful, friendly people."

In 2011 Mayor Sir Robin Wales agreed The Canning Town and Custom House Residents' Charter, for the tenants, leaseholders and freeholders affected by the regeneration. The charter made commitments to residents, such as the right to stay in, or return to, the area being regenerated. Councillor Ken Clark, cabinet member for building communities, public affairs, regeneration and planning, said: "The regeneration of Canning Town is really starting to take shape now and it is wonderful to see that residents are choosing to come back to the area. The scheme has always been about improving and providing housing for all Newham residents as well as rejuvenating and extending town centres and creating state-of-the-art communities facilities. This is an exciting time for the borough and this is just the beginning."

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Sue Needham, Head of Regional Housing Operations at One Housing added: "We're happy to see returning residents move back into such great new homes at Hallsville Quarter. While the regeneration has been disruptive for some, they clearly now feel it was worth it. Over the coming phases we will see the community atmosphere grow even more, helped by the extra jobs in the new businesses starting up in the Quarter."

INVITATION

PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON REDEVELOPMENT PROPOSALS

FOR 304-312 HIGH STREET, STRATFORD, E15 1AJ

The Collective is holding a public exhibition to present our plans to redevelop this site. We would like to hear your feedback on our proposals and your views on what public realm improvements you would like to see delivered. Members of the development team will be on hand to answer any questions.

The plans will be on display on:

Thursday 9th September: 17:00 – 20:00

Saturday 12th September: 10:00 – 14:00

Please feel free to drop in anytime at:

BRITANICO CAFE, 359 STRATFORD HIGH STREET E15 4QZ

Site boundary of 304 – 312 Stratford High Street

If you are unable to attend you can visit our website for more information at www.thecollective.co.uk/stratford or to get in touch please send us an email stratford@thecollective.co.uk.

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The Gate Community Neighbourhood Centre, 2-6 Woodgrange Road, E7 0QH

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Win tickets for The Festival of Colours

The Festival Of Colours returns to Stratford, bringing together thousands of people in Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park (QEOP) for a festival experience like no other.

The Festival of Colours is inspired by the traditional Hindu festival Holi, which takes place in northern India in March and marks the coming of spring. Also known as the festival of colours or the festival of love, on this day people throw powdered paint, known as gulal, at one another in one of the biggest celebrations on the Indian calendar.

Taking inspiration from this, German promoters founded The Festival of Colours in Berlin in 2012, keeping the powdered paint and adding some of the world's best-loved DJs and electronic dance music to create a concept that has now been enjoyed by more than 500,000 revellers around the world.

On Saturday 12 and Sunday 13 September, The Festival of Colours will take over QEOP from 12noon-10pm, with some of the biggest names in club and dance music providing the festival's energised party atmosphere.

The DJ line-up

Saturday – Nervo
Sunday – Boys Noize

Both days – Booka Shade, K-Paul, DSharp, Izzy Trixx + Rednpink, Marco Alamanza, Bombay Boogie Soundsystem, Sola Plexus

Jasper Hellmann is one of the founders of the festival, and is looking forward to bringing the event to London again. He said: "It's a great event because there is a really positive vibe, but it also a has the energy of a really powerful rave."

The Newham Mag have teamed up with The Festival of Colours and have 70 tickets to give away: 18 pairs for Saturday and 17 pairs for Sunday. To be in with a chance of winning, answer this question:

What Indian festival inspired the Festival of Colours?

Send your answer, along with your name, age, phone number and address to **Newham Mag, Newham Dockside, 1000 Dockside Road, London E16 2QU**, or **email newham.mag@newham.gov.uk** by Tuesday 8 September, specifying which day you would prefer.

Please note, this event is suitable only for those aged 18 and over.

Health and Wellbeing Coffee Mornings

Free

Stratford Library, 3 The Grove, E15 1EL

Free activities and services on offer include:

- Health MOTs with blood pressure and BMI checks
- Volunteering opportunities
- Sports and fitness sessions
- Visits from community services that can help improve your health and wellbeing

Taking place 10.30am-12noon on:

- **Thursday 10 September**
- **Thursday 8 October**
- **Thursday 12 November**

For more information please email
CHsocialcare@newham.gov.ukor call **07814 615 350**

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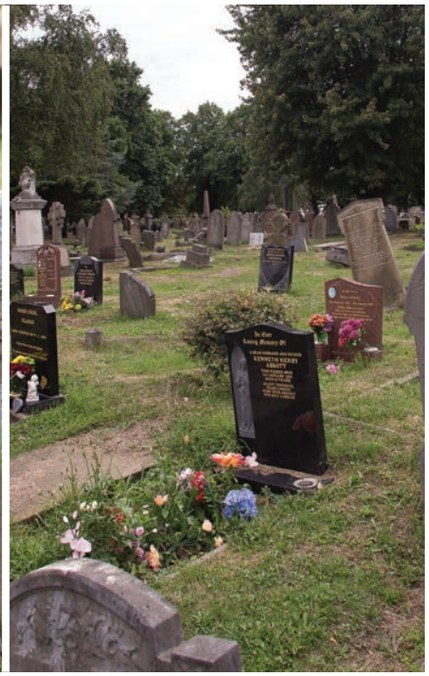
Calm in the heart of the city

West Ham Cemetery is a peaceful haven, tucked away in the heart of Forest Gate. Behind its inconspicuous entrance are 22 acres of well maintained plots, tree-lined pathways and flower beds.



One of London's first publicly owned cemeteries, it was opened in 1857. Since that time it has held more than 180,000 burials. It also has memorials to local soldiers who lost their lives during the two World Wars.

It is the only cemetery in Newham under the control of the council. Anyone may be buried at West Ham Cemetery regardless of where they live or what religious faith they follow.

In addition to standard plots, there is an area facing Mecca which has been approved for Muslim burials, and there is also a devoted, peaceful spot for the children's area, where families are free to put any memorials they wish.

The chapel is non-religious and is used by all faiths, for funerals, wakes and remembrance services. Much of the maintenance work around the cemetery is carried through Community Payback, a rehabilitation scheme for offenders. The cemetery is committed to supporting the local community and this work with young offenders is an integral part of that.

Many local residents regularly visit the cemetery – some volunteer to plant flowers and tend the grounds. They have recently established a cottage garden where they are growing vegetables and flowers, and are also keeping bees and produce honey in the grounds.

For more information visit **www.newham.gov.uk/cemetery**

The cemetery is committed to providing personalised burial services recognising the importance of every detail and memory. For more information and to discuss your particular requirements, call the Cemetery Manager on **020 3373 1193**.

West Ham Cemetery will be hosting a coffee morning on Friday, 25 September.
Come along to view the grounds, see the work that our local volunteers do and learn more about the cemetery and its facilities. All proceeds on the day will be donated to charity.

Free trial at local stage school

Based in Stratford, Stage Studio theatre school is now in its second year and is fast becoming recognised as one of London's leading theatre establishments, with some students having won roles in West End productions and TV commercials.

Stage Studio aims to provide professional arts training to youngsters who struggle to afford the expensive fees of many stage schools. Stage Studio is offering a free trial for young talent aged six to 16 on Sunday 6 September between 12.30-3pm. The school is based at Theatre Royal Stratford East, Gerry Raffles Square, E15, and teaches singing, street dance and acting. The school is led by theatre actor Shelley Williams, who said: "I know there is a heap of young talent in East London just waiting to be developed."

For more information, visit www.stagestudio.co.uk

Ranelagh rocks Stratford Circus

Pupils from Ranelagh Primary School, E15, have taken to the stage at Stratford Circus, performing the best hits of 80s rock legends Queen. This was the first time many of the young cast had performed on a theatre stage in such a large venue.

Students spent weeks in preparation for the performance, entitled Schools Will Rock You, delivering a high tempo performance that included big hits like Radio Gaga and Bohemian Rhapsody.

Show director and class teacher Mr William Woodhouse proudly commented: "At Ranelagh we are blessed with an incredible array of creative talent and I feel that Schools Will Rock You really showcases that. To be part of a team that has experienced all aspects of a full scale, professional theatre production will be a fantastic and valuable memory that I'm sure they will remember and cherish forever."

Stratford singer brings in the crowds

Local musician Kemi Sulola has launched her first EP, Fallen for you, with a performance to a sold-out crowd at the Albany Theatre in Deptford.

Born and raised in Stratford, Kemi has been singing and writing songs since the age of nine, and after winning a local talent competition as a girl she has been performing all across the UK.

Her new record is a blend of soul and RnB music and explores the emotions of unrequited love, aspirations, and faith. Speaking after the performance, Kemi said: "I cant believe the event was sold out, it was such an honour to have so many people come out to support me."

For more information visit **www.kemisulola.com**

Tons of season tickets up for grabs

Forest Gate's Clapton FC have a new sponsor for the new season - the 72 Club, a club hosting musical tribute acts based down the road in Redbridge. To celebrate the new partnership, the 72 Club have organised a series of raffles for Clapton FC fans to win season tickets.

All home fans who attend the club's clash with Greenhouse London on 12 September will be entered into the draw to win a pair of season tickets, with the result announced on the day. If you're unlucky though, don't worry, as another raffle will be held when the Tons face Ilford FC on 10 October, when another 20 season tickets will be given away. For more details on the club, visit **www.claptonfc.com**, and to find out more about the 72 Club, visit **www.the72club.co.uk**

New banners for Green Street

London Borough of Newham
GREEN STREET
COMMUNITY NEIGHBOURHOOD

Brand new decorative banners, designed by members of the local community, will adorn the iconic Queens Market for the next year.

In the run-up to the first ever Green Street Festival on 31 August, Green Street Community Neighbourhood have commissioned Stratford's Rosetta Arts to hold workshops for residents, helping to design and create banners on the themes of food, culture, sports, people and religion.

The finished banners will be paraded through the local area as part of a procession of banners and artwork made by the community at the start of the Green Street festival, before being installed by the charity Emergency Exit Arts at the beginning of September.

Kids' Corner

PLEASE SEND YOUR DRAWINGS, JOKES AND POEMS TO:
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Don't forget to write your name, age, address and daytime contact telephone number on the back of your entry. We cannot return any entries.

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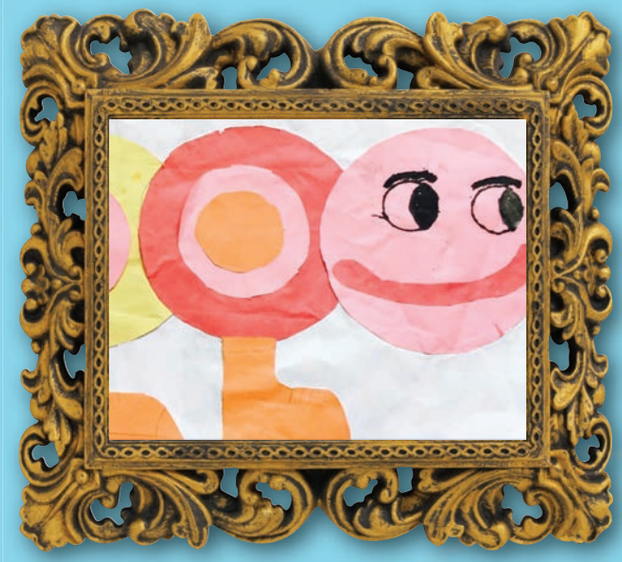

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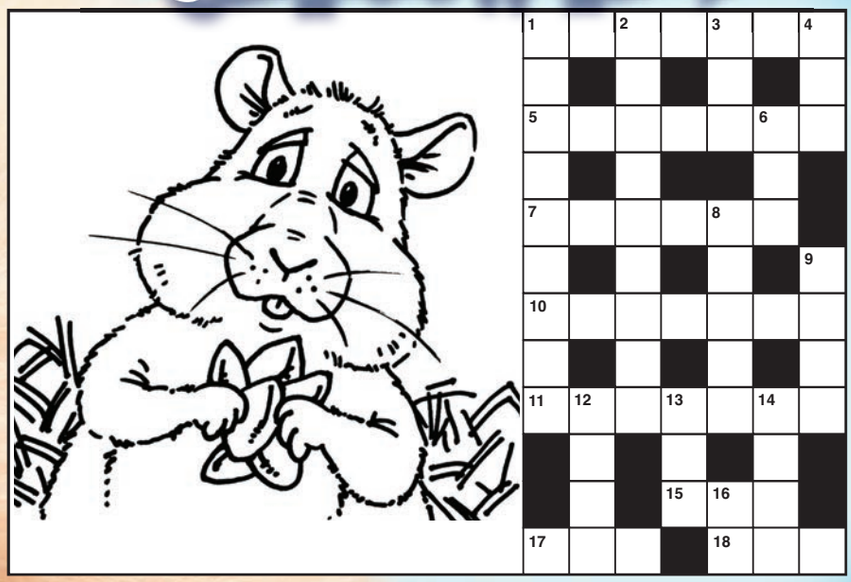
Free membership at Stratford Picturehouse

This issue's winner receives free annual family membership at Stratford Picturehouse, which includes free tickets and discounts on films.

To be in with a chance of winning this or another great prize, send your pictures, jokes and poems to **Kids' Corner, West Wing, Fourth Floor, Newham Dockside, 1000 Dockside Road, London E16 2QU**. Don't forget to write your full name, age, address and daytime contact telephone number on the back of your entry. **Good luck!** Visit www.picturehouses.co.uk to see what's on.

Stratford Picturehouse, Theatre Square, E15

Colour-me-in Crossword



Across

1. Pet that has a wheel in its cage (7)
5. Chilled out (7)
7. And 15 Across. New Pixar movie about Riley Andersen (6,3)
10. Hero who summons a genie from an old lamp (7)
11. World's highest mountain (7)
15. See 7 Across
17. Writing fluid (3)
18. Cat or dog (3)

Down

1. Storm with a violent wind (9)
2. Cold drink sold in a restaurant (4,5)
3. Money taken by the government (3)
4. Colour of blood (3)
6. Night before a big event (3)
8. Avoid something by a sudden quick movement (5)
9. Unit of speed at sea (4)
12. Blood vessel (4)
13. 2016 Olympic city (3)
14. Place where a building is being put up (4)
16. Opposite of 'down' (2)

Poem

The Highwayman

I'm a highwayman
I'm a highwayman
Catch me if you can

I am mean
I am bold
I'll steal your silver
I'll steal your gold

You don't know me
I wear a mask
I am quick
I am fast

The King's soldiers
Try to chase me
But on my horse
I always flee

I'm a highwayman
I'm a highwayman
Catch me if you can!!!!

Honey, 9

FIVE PAGES OF ACTIVITIES MOSTLY FREE, ALL FUN

WHAT'S ON?

Download our What's On app at www.newham.gov.uk/neighbourhoodevents

OUR THRILLING THREE...

1. **Mike Edmond's The New Fusion Quartet** – Sun 30 Aug, 1.45-3.45pm, West Ham Park. This popular jazz band perform a free concert at the bandstand – no need to book, just turn up.

2. **Julie's Summer Party** – Sat 5 Sep, 6-9pm, Beckton Community Centre, East Ham Manor Way, E6. Live entertainment, bhangra dancers, raffle, arts and crafts, food and drink and much more. Free entry. To book or stall or for information call Julie on **07745 725 472**.

3. **Dance Lesson and Tea Dance** – Mon 14 Sep, 1.30-4.30pm, Old Town Hall, Stratford E15. £3 for residents, £5 for non-residents, refreshments included. Free dance lesson available beforehand, 12.30-1.30. Please book by calling **020 3373 0826**.

CELEBRATE 50 YEARS OF NEWHAM...IN FOREST GATE

Join the Forest Gate Community Neighbourhood team to commemorate Newham's 50th Anniversary with an end of summer party with a 60s twist. An afternoon of fun will be held at Forest Lane Park, Magpie Close, E7, on Saturday 5 September, between 12noon-4pm.

Activities on the day will include music and dance classes, cake decorating, traditional games, tie-dye and horticulture workshops provided by the Forest Gate Community Gardening Group. Prizes will be awarded for those with the best 1960s look on the day.

For more information call 020 3373 0856 or email CH.Forestgate@newham.gov.uk

TRY SOMETHING NEW... JOIN A CHOIR

The new academic term sees activities re-starting all across Newham. Solid Harmony is a choir for those aged 16 to 24, based at Newham Sixth Form College, Prince Regent Lane E13. There is a choir available to newcomers and beginners, and another auditioned group for advanced musicians. Their musical repertoire ranges from gospel and RnB, to rock, folk, world music and classical. Solid Harmony meets every Monday between 5-7pm in the music room at the college. It's completely free. If you're interested, email **solidharmonyuk@gmail.com** before attending your first session.

Indicates free sessions

Libraries unless stated

UNDER-FIVES

Toy Library
Introducing toddlers to borrowing toys. Thurs, 10.30-11.30am, Beckton

Rhyme Time
Mon, 4-4.45pm, Canning Town; Tues, 10.30-11.15am, North Woolwich; Thurs, 1.30-2.15pm, Custom House

Storytelling
Mon, 10.30-11.15am, Custom House; Mon 11am-12noon, Tues 10-11am, Beckton; Tues 10-11am, Thurs 2-3pm, Plaistow; Tues 10-11am, Sat 11.30am-1pm, Green St; Tues, 10.30-11.30am, Canning Town; Tues, 10.30-11.30am, The Gate; Tues 10.30-11.30am, Thurs 9.45-10.45am, East Ham; Tues 11am-12noon, Fri 11am-12noon, Stratford; Fri, 10-11am, Manor Park

Stay and Play
Support for parents and carers to develop their child through play. 11am-12noon Mon, Tue and Thurs, 11.30am-1pm Sat, Green St; Tues, 9.30-11.30am, Jeyes C.C; Tues, 10am-12noon, Grassroots; Weds 10am-12noon, Sat 11am-1pm, Stratford; Thurs, 1.30-3.30pm, Jack Cornwell C.C

Music and Movement
Sessions for parents/carers and children. Mon, 10.30-11.30am, Grassroots

Music and Rhyme *Tues, 10.30-11.15am, Custom House*

YOUNG PEOPLE

Board Games Club (7-13yrs)
Play chess, Checkers, Ludo, Pictionary and more. Term time. Tues 4-5pm, Fri 4-5pm, Stratford; Thurs, 4-6pm, Custom House; Thurs, 4.30-6pm, North Woolwich; Thurs, 5-7pm, Green

St; Sat, 2.30-4pm, Manor Park

Games Club (7-16yrs)
Sony PS3, XBox360, Nintendo Wii, board games and more. Tues, 3.30-5.15pm, Custom House; Mon, 3.30-5pm, Plaistow; Thurs, 4-6pm, Canning Town; Wed, 3.30-5pm, Forest Gate

Froud Young Project (7-16yrs)
Activities for young people. Mon, 3.30-5.30pm, Jack Cornwell C.C

Arts and Craft Workshop (5+yrs)
Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu and Fri at 3-5pm, Sat at 1-2pm, Green St; Tues, 4-5pm, Plaistow; Sat, 2-3pm, Canning Town; Sat, 2-3pm, Custom House; Sat, 1-2pm, North Woolwich

Young Readers Club (7-12yrs)
Read and discuss your favourite books. Tues, 4-5.15pm, North Woolwich; Sat, 10.30am-12noon, Manor Park

Children's Movie Matinee (0-13yrs)
Sat 3.30-5.30pm, Green St

Let's Start Sewing (7-16yrs)
Beginner sewing classes. Sat, 12noon-3pm, Woodman C.C. Woodman St, E16. Email theteam@kefoundation.org.uk

Spelling Bee Club (7-13yrs)
Mon, Tues, Thurs and Fri, 2-3pm, Green St

Spanish Club (7-14yrs)
Weds, 4-5pm, Beckton. Email vane_macia@hotmail.es

East Ham Youth Zone
Sony PS4, DJ decks and other activities. Tues, 4-7pm, East Ham

Homework Club
Mon, 3.30-4.30pm, North Woolwich; Mon, 4-6pm, Stratford; Weds, 3.30-5.15pm, Manor Park; Thurs, 4-6pm, Plaistow; Sat, 10am-12noon, The Gate; Fri, 3.30-5.30pm, Canning Town; Fri, 4-5pm, Beckton; Fri, 4-5.30pm, East Ham; Sat, 2-3.30pm, Green St

ACTIVITIES AND SUPPORT

Chess Club
Mon, 5.30-7.30pm, and Thurs, 5.30-7.30pm, East Ham Weds, 3.30-5pm, Green St Thurs, 5.30-7.30pm, Stratford Fri, 3.30-5.15pm, The Gate

Coffee Mornings
Mon, 11am-12.30pm, North Woolwich; Tues 8 Sep, 10.30am-12noon, Manor Park; Tues, 10-11.30am, Beckton; Tues, 10-11.30am, Canning Town; Tues, 11am-12.30pm, Custom House; Thurs 10 Sep, 10am-12noon, Stratford; Fri, 10-11am, Jeyes C.C

Do It Online (18yrs+)
Six or eight-week basic computer training. Advance booking required, contact library directly. Tues, 10am-12noon and Thurs 10am-12noon, The Gate; Tues, 10am-12noon, East Ham; Tues 10am-12noon, Plaistow; Mon, 10am-12noon, Manor Park; Weds, 2-4pm, Stratford; Tues, 11am-1pm, Thurs, 10am-12noon, Green St; Thurs, 10am-12noon, Katherine Rd C.C; Wed, 10am-12noon, Plaistow; Mon, 1-2pm, Canning Town

Knit & Natter (16yrs+)
Weds, 10am-12noon, Beckton; Fri, 10.30-11.30am, Canning Town; Fri, 10am-12noon, East Ham; Tues, 10.30am-12.30pm, Manor Park; Weds, 10.30am-12.30pm, Green St

ICT Surgery
IT advice for all ages. Mon, 10am-12noon and 2-3pm, Plaistow; Wed, 10.30am-12noon, Stratford; Fri, 2-4pm, Canning Town

Love Newham app drop-in Learn how to report issues via the app. Mon, 10.30-11.30am, The Gate

ICT Drop-in Session
Set up a My Newham profile and create an email account. Fri, 10am-12noon, The Gate; Fri, 10am-12noon, Green St

Bingo Night (16yrs+)
Thurs, 6-7pm, Green St

Safer Neighbourhood Team Drop-in
Fri, 12noon-1pm, Stratford

Deafroots Deaf Club
Opportunity to learn new and exciting things for members including quizzes, prizes, refreshments. Mon, 1.30-3.30pm, Stratford. New members £2, existing members £1. Email angel@deafroots.org.uk or text on 07985 242778.

Support in Action
Thurs, 12noon-4pm, Jeyes C.C

Get on Target Business Advice Surgery Tues, 12noon-2pm, North Woolwich. Call 07931 576 483 to book.

SpEC Speaking English with Confidence
Mon, 10-11am, North Woolwich; Mon, 10-11am, Plaistow; Mon, 11am-12noon, East Ham; Mon 10-11am, Mon 1.30-2.30pm (for people with special needs), Weds 10-11am, Thurs 10-11am, Green St; Thurs 6-7pm, Stratford; Weds, 10-11am, Manor Park; Weds, 11am-12noon, Canning Town; Weds, 11am-12noon, The Gate; Tues, 10.30-11.30am, Custom House

Chai and Chat Women Group (18yrs+)
For women who use mental health service. Weds, 10.30am-12.30pm, Plaistow

Ebony East Steel Pan Academy Tues, 4.30-6.00pm (11-16yrs); Weds, 3.30-5.30pm (8-11yrs), One Love Community Centre, 1 Bishops Ave, E13 0PU. Call 07565124701. £4, 1st session free

Friday Film Club
Fri, 2pm, Plaistow

Newham Steelband Sessions for beginners
Tues and Thurs, 6.30-8.40pm, Canning Town Caravanserai, 110-116 Silvertown Wy, E16. £4. To register call 07927 644 629

Adult Reading Groups
Thurs 3 Sep, 6.45-7.45pm, Plaistow. Sat, 12noon-1pm, Green St (The month's book: The Invisible Library by G.Corgan)

Rabbits Rd Institute Conversation Club
Thurs, 3-4pm, Manor Park

Together We Can Fortnightly social group
for adults under 50 who have had a stroke. Fri 4 Sept, 2-4pm, Plaistow

Life in the UK Classes
12wk course. Contact Franklyn on 020 8542 3904. Tues, 2-5pm, Manor Park; Weds, 10am-12noon, East Ham; Weds 12.30-2pm, Fri 10am-12noon, Plaistow; Fri, 12.30-2.30pm, Green St

Oral Health Drop-in
Thurs 3 Sep, 3-5pm, The Gate

Grants Surgery
Drop-in for guidance on applying for Let's Get the Party Started and Go For It grants. Mon 1 Sep, 3.30-5pm, Green St; Thurs 10 Sep, 4-6pm, Manor Park

UEL Drop-in Tues 2 Sep, 10am-12noon, The Gate

Tablet Takeover
Learn how to use tablets to email, shop, download and more – tablet provided for lesson. Mon, 12.30-1.30pm, Green St, £2. Call Darren on 07432 156 016.

Cake Decorating
Weds, 10am-12noon, Katherine Road C.C. Call 020 8522 5772 to enrol.

ESOL Classes
Tues and Fri, 1-3pm, Plaistow; Tues 9.30am-12noon and Fri 9.30am-12.30pm, Jack Cornwell C.C; Weds and Thurs, 9.30-11.30am, Katherine Road C.C. Call 020 8522 5772 to enrol.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Bumps and Babies (up to 1yr) A free home-based meet up, Weds, 1-3pm for expectant parents and those with babies. Email newham@nct.org.uk

Meet and Greet

Mums, Bumps and Babies
Fri in various cafes around Newham. Visit www.netmums.com or email jojostevie@live.com

Mums2be Meetup
Information and support for expectant parents. 3rd Sat of every month, 10-11am. Email newham@nct.org.uk

Royal Docks Learning & Activity Centre
Mon, Needlecraft, 10am-12noon, £2. **Tues,** Parent and Toddler Group, 10am-12noon, £1; Bingo, 10am-12noon, £1 **Wed,** Keep Fit, 10-11am, £2 Employment 1-2-1 support, by appointment. Creche available **Thurs,** Tai-Chi, £2, first session free, 10.30am-12noon; Line Dancing, £1, first session free, 1-3pm; **Mon-Fri,** After School Club for Gallions, Britannia Village, St Joachim's and Drew primary schools. **Mon-Fri,** Open Access After School Club, 4-6pm, £3 per day. Royal Docks Learning & Activity Centre, Albert Rd, E16. Call 020 7476 1666. Visit www.rdlac.org.uk.

Junior Volunteer Police Cadets (10-12 yrs, term time)
Wed, 3.30-5pm, Little Ilford School, Browning Rd, E12, £1.

Senior Volunteer Police Cadets (13-17 yrs)
Wed, 6.30-9pm, Little Ilford School, Browning Rd, E12, £2.50. Thurs, 6.30-9pm, Eastlea Community School, Exning Rd, E16, £2.50. Call 07500 881 378

BOXING AND SELF DEFENCE

Martial Arts (16yrs+)
Tues, 5-6pm, Jack Cornwell C.C

Boxing (Newham College)
Mon, 5-6pm, East Ham College, High St South, E6

Fight For Peace Boxing
Mon to Fri, 4-5pm 10-14yrs
Mon to Fri, 5-9pm, 14+yrs
Woodman St, North Woolwich, E16. Call 020 7474 0054

Newham Shoujin Karate
Fri, 6-7pm and 7-8.30pm. Sun, 10-11am. Under-15yrs £4, 18yrs+ £6, concs £5. Newham Leisure Centre, E13. Call 07508 070 638

Docklands Shoujin Karate
Mon and Wed, juniors and beginners 7-8pm, all other grades 8-9pm. First session free, under-15s £4, 16+ £6, concs £5. UEL SportsDock. Call 07766 685 689

Stratford Judo
Competition training, juniors (8-14yrs), Tues and Thurs, 6.30-8pm; seniors (15+yrs), Tues and Thurs, 8-9.30pm. Beginners, juniors (8-14yrs) Wed, 6.30-7.45pm; seniors (15+yrs), Wed, 7.45-9.15pm. From £2-£5 per class. Carpenters and Dockland Centre, 98 Gibbins Rd, E15. Call 07985 601 260

Intense Fitness (14yrs+)
Workouts, boxing and wrestling. Fri, 8.30-10pm. £5. The Hartley Centre, E6. Call 07878 253 642

HEALTH AND FITNESS

Janice's Fitness
Mon, 7.15-7.45pm, flatter abs, £3, The Hartley Centre, E6. Call 07818 000 643

Twisted Pink Street Dance
7-11yrs, Thurs, 6-7pm, St Luke's Church, Tarling Rd, E16. 12+yrs, Fri, 6-7pm, Maryland Studioz, 84 Leytonstone Rd, E15. £3. Call 07961 544 017

Zumba fitness
Mon and Weds, 7-8pm, £5 and £4 for 2nd class. Vicarage Ln Community Centre, Govier Cl, E15. Call 07500 898 665

Zumba
Weds and Thurs, 7-8pm, London Tamil Sangam Centre, 396 High St North, E12 6PG. £5. Call 07720 805 505

Let's Yoga
Thurs, 6.30-7.30am, Grassroots, £5; Sat, 10am-12noon, Jeyes C.C, £1; Wed, 7-9pm, Jeyes C.C, £1; Thurs, 7-8.30pm, Field C.C, Free

Lee Valley Cycling (12-25yrs)
Wed, 4.30-6pm, Lee Valley VeloPark, £5 or £50 for 12 wk course. Pre-booking essential, email michelle.daniel@activeNewham.org.uk

Indoor Tennis
Mon, 6-8pm, Lee Valley Hockey & Tennis Centre, £3. Pre-booking essential, email michelle.daniel@activeNewham.org.uk

Mini Tennis
Tues, 4-5pm, and 5-6pm, East Ham Leisure Centre, 4-8yrs; Thurs, 4.30-5.30pm and 5.30-6.30pm, Newham Leisure Centre, 4-8yrs and 8-16yrs. £50 for 10 sessions. Email michelle.daniel@activeNewham.org.uk

Outdoor Tennis (14-25yrs)
Fri, 5-7pm, Stratford Park. Email michelle.daniel@activeNewham.org.uk

Tone-Tastic (18yrs+)
Mon, 2-3pm (free), Fri, 10.30-11.30am, (£1.50), Field C.C

Salsa Dancing (18yrs+)
Tues, 11.45am-12.45pm, Field C.C

Ballroom Dancing (18yrs+)
Thurs, 2.30-4pm, Field C.C

Athlefit
All ages and abilities. Wed, 11am-12noon, Jack Cornwell C.C

Zumba
All ages and abilities. Tues, 10.30-11.30am, Field C.C (£1); Mon, 9.30-10.30am, Jack Cornwell C.C (£3); Fri, 9.30-10.30am, Jack Cornwell C.C (£2, over 50s free).

Aerobic Exercise
Workout and body stretching
Tues, 9.30-10.30am, Jack Cornwell C.C. £2

Zumba fitness with Jess
Tues, 5-6pm, Focus E15, Brimstone House, 10 Victoria St, E15 4NX (Free); Sat, 10.30-11.30am, Weds, 6.30-7.30pm, Asta Community Hub, 14a Camel Rd, E16 2DE, £2.50. 07884951484

SalsaPam Zumba (11+)
Mon 6.30-7.30pm, Thurs 6.30-7.30pm, Queens Rd West Community Centre, E13 0PE. £5 per session or £25 for a one month pass (approx. £3 per class)

Mash It Up, Dancehall fitness Mon, 6.30-7.30pm, Asta Community Hub, 14a Camel Rd, E16 2DE. £2.50. 07884951484

Nordic Walking
Wed, 9.30am. Meet at Field C.C. Not suitable for wheelchairs. Call 07783 660 429; Fri, 6.30-8pm. Meet at Newham Leisure Centre, E13; Sun, 10-11.30am. Meet at East Ham Leisure Centre, E6

50+ ACTIVITIES

Get Active, Get Healthy – Walk to the Park
Mon, 10.30-11.30am, Manor Park

Age UK East London Nordic Walks (18+)
Tues, 9.30-10.45am, meet at Age UK East London Newham Branch, 655 Barking Rd, E13
Sun, 10-11am, meet at entrance of the Copper Box, Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park, E20. Call 07989 938 242

Health Walks
Mon, 2pm, meet at the War Memorial, Central Park, E6. Call 07518 750 120. Tues, 10am, meet at Pret a Manger at Stratford Station. Call 0300 124 0123. Tues, 1.30pm, meet at the corner of Wanstead Flats at the junction of Capel Rd and Woodford Rd. Call 0844 414 2728. Wed, 10.30am, meet at Hamfrith Centre, McGrath Rd, E15. Call 07870 291 120. Thurs, 1.30pm, meet at the corner of Wanstead Flats at the junction of Capel Rd and Woodford Rd. Call 07908 744 555 Thurs, 2pm, meet at the War Memorial, Central Park, E6. Call 07518 750 120 Fri, 10.30am, meet at St Mark's Community Centre, Tollgate Rd, E6. Call 07908 744 555

Newham Striders
Daily walking group

Call 0300 124 0123.

Young at Heart Bingo Club
Mon, 12noon-4pm, £1. Jeyes C.C

Ballroom Dancing
Mon, 10am-12noon, St Paul's Church Centre, Burges Rd, E6. £4. Call 07761 209 463

Active Centre Bingo (50+yrs)
Thurs, 7-9pm, Jack Cornwell C.C; Mon, 12noon-4pm, Jeyes C.C

Over 50s club
Thurs, 10am-12noon, Beckton

ICCAN
Faith based group with cultural activities. Fri, 12noon-2pm, Jeyes C.C

Active & Connected
Social group for gay and bi men. Last Thursday of each month. For info call 020 7791 2855

Active Centre 50+ Group
Weds, 12noon-4pm, Field C.C

Dominos Group
Fri, 6-10pm, Field C.C

Chair Based Yoga
Tues, 12.30-1.30pm, Manor Park

Fifty Plus Men's Group
Tues and Thurs, 2-5pm, Katherine Road C.C

Forever Young
Enjoy community activities and make new friends. Wed, 11am-1pm, Beckton; Wed, 10.30am-12.30pm, Field C.C.

Pilate Classes
Tues, 9.30-10.30am, Field C.C

Happy Living Club
Indoor and outdoor activities for over 50s. Tues and Weds, 1.30-5.30pm, Jeyes C.C

Holiday Spanish Club
Tues, 9.30-10.30am, Field C.C

GREEN

Green Gym
Weds, 10am-1pm, meet at Visitor Centre in East Ham Nature Reserve, Norman Rd, E6. Call 07845 973 156

Green Volunteering
Tues and Thurs, 10am-2pm. Silvertown Wy, E16 (opp. Hallsville Rd)

Garden Club
Tues, 1-3pm, Thurs, 4-7pm, Sat, 10am-4pm, Abbey Gdns, Bakers Row, E15

Gardening Thymes Gardening Club
Fri, 11am-1pm, Bowling Green, Central Park, High St South, E6

Grow Together Be Together Community Gardening Club
Wed, 10am-1pm. Sat, 1pm-3pm Flanders Field, Melbourne Rd entrance, E6. Call 020 8586 7070

Caravanserai Garden Volunteering
Thurs and Sat, 11am-3pm, Silvertown Wy, E16. For information call 07773 863 384

DOORSTEP CLUBS

Call 0300 124 0123. unless otherwise stated.

Athletics Club (14yrs+)
A multi-sport session focusing on athletics, football and the gym. Tues, 6-7pm, Newham Leisure Centre, E13. Call 07718 394 756

Gym & Basketball (14yrs+)
Tues, 6-10pm, £2, Rokeby School, Barking Rd, E16

Stunt & Tumble (14yrs+)
Thurs, 7.30-9pm, £5, Talent Cheer & Dance, Gallions Reach, Armada Wy, E6. Call 07866 612 610

FEMALE SPORTS

Basketball Sessions
Tues, 4-5pm, Chobham Academy, 40 Cheering Ln, E20

Dare2Dance (12-16yrs)
Street dance, Fri, 3.30-5.30pm, Newham Leisure Centre, E13

Female Boxfit (14yrs+)
Mon, 4.15-5.15pm, Balaam Leisure Centre, E13. Call 07970 783 526

Girls Football (11-16yrs)
Tues, 4-5.30pm and Thurs, 5-6pm, Newham Leisure Centre. Fri, 5-7pm. Term time only. Memorial Park, E15

Girls Group Cycling (11-15 yrs)
Tues and Thurs, 5-5.30pm, Newham Leisure Centre, E13

Just Play (14yrs+)
Wed, 6.30-8pm, multi-sports (term time). Cumberland School, E13. Call 0300 124 0123

Keepfit
Wed, 10am, £1, Chandos East Centre, E15. Call 07950 944 095

Women's Badminton
Fri, 1-2.30pm, East Ham Leisure Centre, E6, £2, equipment provided. Call 07930 162 505

Women United AFC (11yrs+)
Mon (term time), 6-7.15pm, £1, Kingsford School, E6. Call 07792 932 979

Zumba and Tone
Tues, 1.15-2.15pm, £1. St Bartholomew's Church Hall, Barking Rd, E6. Call 07944 775 679

Women's Martial Arts (16yrs+) Tues, 5.15-6.15pm, Jack Cornwell C.C. Ring 07473 030 250.

Women's Bootcamp Circuits Mon, 6.30-7.30pm, Chandos East Community Hub, E15. £4. Call 07956 944 252

Ladies Only Keep Fit
Thurs, 10am, £1.50, Rokeby Centre, Rokeby St, E15

Female Only Gym Sessions
Mon, 3-4pm, 16-25yrs. Mon and Wed, 7.30-10.30pm. Tues and Thurs, 12noon-1.30pm. Sun, 3-5pm, 11-15yrs. £4.65. Newham Leisure Centre.

SPORTS AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES FOR DISABLED PEOPLE

Ability Club (14-25yrs)
Multi sports for disabled young people. Wed, 5.30-6.30pm and Fri, 4.45-6pm, NewVic, E13

Athletics (8-18yrs)
Tues, 4.15-6.15pm, Brampton Manor, Roman Rd, E6. Thurs, 4.30-5.55pm, St Angela's Ursuline School, E7. Email cnourrice@englandathletics.org

Family Swims
Sat, 4.30-5.30pm, Newham Otters Swimming Club, Newham Leisure Centre, E13. Call 0300 124 0123. Sun, 12.30-2pm, Family Swim, Balaam Leisure Centre, £5. Call 0300 124 0123

Get Fit for Free
Tues, 1.30-3.30pm and Fri, 10am-12noon. Gym use for people with learning disabilities. Newham Leisure Centre, E13. To book an induction call 0300 124 0123

Sensory Play (U5yrs)
Wed, (term time) 1.30pm-3pm, Oliver Thomas Children's Centre, Mathews Ave, E6. Email Naomi.ferron@oliverthomas.newham.sch.uk or call 020 8821 0997

Swim for Families Dealing with Autism
Wed, 4-5pm, Balaam Leisure Centre, E13. Call 0300 124 0123

Support In Action (18yrs+)
Indoor and outdoor activities, advice and support. Thurs, 12noon-4pm, to Jeyes C.C

RUNNING

Beckton Park Run
Sat, 9am, Beckton Park South, E16. Call 07718 394 756 www.parkrun.org/beckton

East End Road Runners
Tues and Thurs, 7pm. Sun, 9am. Meet on the track. Coached sessions for all abilities. Newham Leisure Centre, E13. Call 07979 261 647

West Ham Park Run
Sun, 11am. Meet at Central Park Keepers Lodge. Call 020 8257 4505

Run England
£2 unless stated. Sun, 10am-12noon, Newham Leisure Centre, E13, (meet on track). Mon, 4-5.30pm, Newham Leisure Centre, E13 (meet on track). Mon, 5.45-6.45pm, Newham Dockside, E16 (meet at reception). Wed, 12noon-1pm, Newham Dockside, E16 (meet at reception). Thurs, 5.15-6.15pm, UEL Docklands Campus, E16 (meet at reception). Sat 10-11.30am, Wanstead Flats, E12 (meet at Harrow Rd Changing Pavilion). Sat 10-11.30am,

Memorial Park, E15, £4 (meet at car park). Call 07718 394 874

SPORTS

Newham and Essex Beagles Athletics Club. Mon and Wed, 6-9pm. Foundation Groups (8-10 yrs), Mon, 7-8pm and Wed, 6-7pm, £5. Terence McMillan Stadium, Newham Leisure Centre, E13. Visit www.newhamandessexbeagles.co.uk

BMX (6-16yrs)
Sun, 10am-12noon, £3. Gooseley Playing Fields, St Albans Ave, E6. Call 07961 333 615

Fencing with Newham Swords Tues, 6-9pm, Thurs, 6-9pm, Fri, 7-10pm. Classes for adults (18+), and mini-pirates (4-7yrs). UEL SportsDock Call 07956 618 898

Indoor Cricket (8-16yrs)
Wed, 6-8pm, £2, Lister Community School, E13, email michelle.daniel@activeNewham.org.uk

Woodside Badminton Club
Fri, 7.30-9.30pm, intermediate and club standard. £5 waged/£3 unwaged. Carpenters and Docklands Centre, 98 Gibbins Rd, E15. Call 07956 150 240

FOOTBALL

AIR Football (16yrs+)
Tues, 1-3pm, Fri, 10am- 12noon, Memorial Park, Memorial Ave, E15. Fri, 3-5pm, Beckton Powerleague, E6. Visit www.airfootball.co.uk

Football and Athletics
Thurs, 4-5.30pm, Britannia Village, 65 Evelyn Rd, E16

Football & Multi Sports
Mon, 4-5.30pm, Newham Leisure Centre, E13. Wed, 5-6pm, Stratford MUGA, West Ham Ln, E15

Mayor's Football League
U10yrs, U12yrs, Mon, 4.30-6pm, U16yrs, U18yrs, 6-7pm Newham Leisure Centre, E13

Premier League (16yrs+)
6-a-side (4 subs) Weds, 7-10pm, Newham Leisure Centre, E13

WHU Kicks
Mon, Tues, Fri, 4-7pm, WHUCST, Beckton 3G, 60A Albatross Cl, E6. Thurs, 6.30-7.30pm, Little Ilford Learning Zone, 1 Rectory Rd, E12. Thurs, 6.30-7.30pm, Stratford Park MUGA, West Ham Ln, E15. Sat 10.30am-12noon, Newham Leisure Centre, E13

Ascension Football
Sat, 10-11.30am, £3. Reception to 11yrs. King George V Park, King George Ave, E16. Call 07806 584 925

BASKETBALL

Basketball & Multi Sports
Fri, 5-6.30pm, 8-19yrs, Snowshill MUGA, Snowshill Rd, E12

Basketball Sessions
Thurs, 5.30-6.30pm, Little Ilford Learning Zone, 1 Rectory Rd, E12

National League
Mon, 6-8pm, U13/14yrs, Tues, 6-8pm, U15/16yrs, Rokeby School, E16. Thurs, 4.30-6pm, U13/14yrs boys, U14yrs girls; 6-8pm, U16yrs, Newham Leisure Centre, E13, 6-8pm, U18yrs, Cumberland School, E13

NCFE Sports – Basketball
Thurs, 5-7pm, East Ham Leisure Centre. To register email sports@newham.ac.uk or call 020 8257 4255

Senior Programme
Mon, 7.30-9.30pm, Division 2 women and division 3/4 men. Rokeby School, E16. Call 07947 401 616

Newham All Star Sports Academy (NASSA)
Sessions £1 unless indicated. Juniors, Fri, 4-6pm Cumberland School, E13. National league U13yrs, U14yrs, U16yrs, Tues, 6-8pm, Rokeby School, E16. National league U18yrs, Tues, 8-10pm, Rokeby School, E16. National league U13yrs, U14yrs, U16yrs, Thurs, 6-8pm, SportsDock. National league U18yrs, Tues, 8-10pm, UEL SportsDock. Junior boys and girls, Sat, 10.20am-12.20pm, UEL SportsDock, £2. Call 07703 503 995. www.nassasports.org.uk

Youngbloods Basketball
All sessions cost £1. U12yrs, mixed, Sat, 1-3pm, East Ham Leisure Centre, E6. U13/14yrs boys, Mon, 6-8pm and Wed, 4.30-6pm, St Angela's School, E7. U13/14yrs girls, Mon, 4.30-6pm and Wed, 4.30-6pm, St Angela's School, E7. U15/16yrs boys, Tues, 6-8pm, St Angela's School, E7. Thurs, 8pm, St Bonaventure's School, E7. U17/18yrs boys, Mon and Wed, 8-10pm, St Angela's School, E7. Call 07958 307 657

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

All meetings take place at Newham Town Hall, Barking Rd, E6, unless otherwise stated

Thurs 3 Sep, Mayoral Proceedings, 9am

Mon 7 Sep, Local Development Committee, Old Town Hall, Stratford E15, 7pm

Tues 8 Sep, Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Commission, 7pm

Weds 9 Sep, Children and Young People Scrutiny Commission, 7pm

Fri 11 Sep, Development Control Members' Forum, Newham Dockside E16, 8am

CONTACT THE MAYOR

Surgery
To register for the surgery you must arrive at the venue up to 30 minutes ahead of the advertised time. Thurs 3 Sep, 11am, Stratford Town Hall, E15. Thurs 10 Sep, 10am, Canning Town Library.

Telephone Surgery
Wed 9 Sep. Call 020 8430 2000 between 9.30-10.30am and leave your details.

CONTACT DETAILS

LIBRARIES & COMMUNITY NEIGHBOURHOODS

Beckton Globe 1 Kingsford Wy, E6
Canning Town Barking Rd, E16
Custom House Prince Regent Ln, E16
East Ham 328 Barking Rd, E6
Green Street 337-341 Green St, E13
The Gate 6-8 Woodgrange Rd, E7
Manor Park 685-691 Romford Rd, E12
North Woolwich 5 Pier Parade, E16
Plaistow North St, E13
Stratford 3 The Grove, E15
Archives and Local Studies 020 3373 6881
Community Outreach 020 337 30813

LEISURE & SPORTS VENUES

Balaam Leisure Centre 14 Balaam St, E13
East Ham Leisure Centre 324 Barking Rd, E6
Newham Leisure Centre 281 Prince Regent Ln, E13
NewVic Prince Regent Ln, E13
UEL SportsDock Docklands Campus, University Wy, E16

COMMUNITY CENTRES (C.C)

Beckton Community Centre 14 Manor Wy, E6, 020 7511 1214
Field Community Centre 147 Station Rd, E7 020 8536 2800
Grassroots Centre Memorial Park, Memorial Ave, E15 020 3373 0650
The Hub 123 Star Ln, E16 020 3373 0750
Jack Cornwell Community Centre Jack Cornwell St, E12 020 8553 3459
Jeyes Community Centre 1 James Cl, E13, 020 8548 9788
Katherine Rd Community Centre 254 Katherine Rd, E7 020 8548 9825
St Mark's Community Centre 218 Tollgate Rd, E6 020 7511 1214
Vicarage Ln Community Centre Govier Cl, E15, 020 8519 0235
The Well Community Centre 49 Vicarage Ln, E6, 020 7586 7070

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